What War Done Last Week In This Great World of Ours.

American Affairs.

GENERAL POLITICAL.
LODGE TO MANAGE CAMPAIGN.

The report has gained general belief at Washington since the postal disclosures last week that Senator Lodge, of Mas sachusetts, at the proper time, will be brought forward as President Roosevelt's choice for chairman of the Republican National Committee, the position now oc-cupled by Senator Hanna, of Ohio, Mr. Hanna's expected retirement is thought Hanna's expected retirement is thought to be influenced by his unwillingness to part company with Perry S. Heath, whose connection with the postal scandal is expected to cause his resignation as secretary of the National Committee. Lodge is the President's most trusted personal and political friend.

UNIONS TO FORM PARTY.

The annual convention of the International Printing Pressmen and Assistants' Union at Cincinnati, June 20th, passed resolutions providing for a committee of twenty-five to communicate with all other labor unions to secure concerted action

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U. S. GRANT IN THE RUNNING.
Formal announcement of the candidacy of U. S. Grant, grandson of the war President, for the Vice-Presidential nomination with Roosevelt has been made by the San Diego. Cal. Union.

WILL SEND JEWS PETITION.

It was reported at Washington Thursday that President Roosevelt had decided to transmit to the Russian Government the petition presented by the B'nai B'rith regarding ill treatment of Jews in Russia. SILVER BEATEN IN IOWA.

The convention of Iowa Democrats. which met at Des Moines Wednesday, named J. B. Sullivan for Governor, with candidates for minor offices, and by a vote of 48 to 33 adopted a platform containing no reaffirmation of the Chicago platform advocated by the Bryan faction. Sullivan himself, however, is an ardent silver man. The platform declares against injunction government, for direct election of Senators, local option, State aid for highways, larger volume of money, postal reform, removal of tarif from all goods produced as cheaply here as abroad and limitation of railway charges.

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In a letter to Attorney-General Knox made public Wednesday, President Roosevelt showed is hand plainly by authorizing the salion of special counsel to represent the government in pushing the trial of cases brought out by the postal investigation. This suggestion resulted in the selection of Charles J. Bonepart, of Baltimore, and Holmes Conrad, of Washington to perform this service. Furthermore, in his letter the President suggests the prosecution of all guilty men whether in the service or not.

During the week Mr. and Mrs. George

mests the prosecution of an survey whether in the service or not. During the week Mr. and Mrs. George E. Lorenz, of Toledo, O., were arrested on the charge of receiving rake-offs for Machen. Evidence has multiplied of an organized syndicate to levy blackmail at a fixed rate of forty per cent. on all postal contracts. The developments have brought in the name of ex-Congressman Loud, of California, in connection with life purchase of mail collection devices from a California company. This is said to involve San Francisco officials who are connected with the company. Another matter under investigation concerns the

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with the Brandt-Dent Company, of Watertown, Wis., in the sale of auto-matic cashlers to the Postoffice Depart-

TO INSURE PURE FOOD.

Instructions have been sent by the State Department to all consular officers of the United States providing that they shall obtain from shippers of food-stuffs, druss and other articles, coming under the pure food laws, a sworn statement that there is nothing impure or deleterious to health in the goods to be shipped. The declaration will be forwarded to the Agricultural Department, which will keep a record of all goods sent here from other countries.

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The government has decided to install July list a new system of protecting its funds at the mints and in the treasury building at Washington. The money waults are to be lined with two layers of hard wood, between which will be placed is layer of fine wire screening which will be charged with electricity furnishes by a plant near by. An ingenious system of changing the intensity of the current every few minutes will keep the attendants informed of any change that may be produced by an independent battery will also be will also be had with the central police station by means o fan alarm.

Commercial.

CUNARD LINE STANDS ALONE.

The Cunard Line has withdrawn from
the passenger agreement of the North
Atlantic Conference. The putting on of
regular Friday and Tuesday ships by the
International Mercantile Marine Company
has caused the Cunard Line to wish to be
tree its order to more effectively company free in order to more effectively compete with the big shipping trust. Cunard of ficials intimate that they are backed by the British government in opposition to

sessment will be nearly \$3,000,000. ENORMOUS RAILROAD DEVELOP-MENT.

The Interstate Commerce Commission statement shows that the total railroad mileage in the United States. June 20, 1907. was 202,500 miles. Number of locomotives in use was 11,223; of cars, 1,560,000 and of employes, 1,190,000. Total capitalization of all roads was \$21,235,000,000. Gross earnings for the year were one and three quarter billion dollars and dividends, \$185,000,000. To INSURE AGAINST STRIKES.

The Mutual Security Company of Waterbury, Coan, has been formed to insure against losses from strikes, as well as from food and epidemic it is the first of its kind actually established.

MORGAN TO THE RESCUE.

J. P. Morgan whose optimistic prophecy on March 21st has been followed by a steady decline in the securities of the trusts formed by him. representing a shrinkage of over all, 600.000, returned to New York Wednesday, in the major with several members once began an aggressive of the Mercantle Marine Company.

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Whole Field at a Glance.

Since the force of events is cumulative from day to day and from week to week, no man can tell when the perennial diseases of our national life may develop new and acute crises. At two points danger signals have flared out, in the past week's record of extra legal events at Wilmington and Richmond, in the one case touching the so-called negro problem and increasing the difficulty of its solution, and the other a repetition of the often fought and always pitiful battle of strike violence and law. Many and various are the lessons thus taught, according to the individual viewpoint. Certainly not the least impressive feature at Wilmington was the plea of the murdered girl's father not to alone for one crime by committing another, and in the last analysis the responsibility for the burning of the negro, White, whatever its consequences, lies in a large measure at the door of the legal authorities for slowness of procedure. Extra legal situations have prevailed at two other points, namely, at Du Buque, Iowa, where state troops were in control of trolley strike, and at Mohawk, N. Y., where a body of Italian laborers have held up the Oneonta, Cooperstown and Richfield Springs Railroad.

The building trades war at New York city has taken a new and disturbing aspect by the retailating general strike in answer to the builders' renewed lockout. The union leaders threatened to extend their operations into all the leading cities of the country. The textile strike at Lowell formally ended in defeat, with the threat of another rising, Kansas labor enortage up in the chousands. Marine engineers at New York won 15 per cent, advance.

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The return of Morgan from Europe in the midst of the persistent shrinkage of trust securities and of the hearing to determine receivership issue of the ship-building combine has been the spectacular event in the commercial world. The cotton market was the other spectacular feature, with high prices culminating in the Brown deal for 100,000 bales at 13 cents a pound, Friday, virtually making a two-thirds corner. The ship trust was brought face to face with English competition by the withdrawal of the Cunard line from the North Atlantic Conference. Cleag began wheat corner at Chicago. Australla dropped Marconi. Rockefeller-Gould Interests in control of Colorade Fuel and Iron. Supreme Court restrained Pennsylvania Raliroad from further destruction of Western Union property. Alabama Supreme Court affirmed hanging for robbery.

Iowa Democrats put a silver candidate on a platform ignoring silver. President Roosevelt formally favored fullest postal investigation in letter to Knox, suggesting extra counsel. Reports of irregularities in other departments. Ex-Congressman Loud's name involved and ex-Congressman Driggs arrested for connection with automatic cashier scandal. President decided to send Jew's petition to Czar. Looge may succeed Hanna as Republican chairman. Attached government ships held by peaceful means. 'King Peter of Servia took oath at Belgrade with America, England, France, Holland and Turkey not recognizing him. Germany followed Russia's lead. American fleet welcomed at Kiel. New French legislation against teaching by secularized members of religious orders. Irish land bill saved by new concession of advancing money in certain cases.

The new unit of matter an uppermost topic in science. Pope created seven Cardinals. Andrew D. White proposed new college courses to prepare for public life. More college commencements held. Sotiern-Marlow Shakespearean c

Industrial.

The Textile Council of Lowell, Mass., voted unanimously Monday to declare the strike of the cotton operatives off. President Conroy, of the council, said at the meeting: "We now worship at the altar of defeat, but later we shall rise again

cities.
MARIND ENGINEERS WIN.
The danger of cutting off New York's food supply by the threatened strike of marine engineers of eight railroad and steamer companies was averted Monday by an agreement upon terms decided by arbitrators. The men get an increase of 15 per cent. In pay and allowance of two days off each month, besides an annual week's vacation, all with pay.

stance known as radium, are known now to have wrought a marvelous change in to have wrought a marvelous change in the scientific conception of matter. It is that the elementary atoms, instead of being indivisible units, are composed of many smaller identical units in orbital motion. These smaller units the scientific men now call ions and it is found that the nature of a given substance depends the number of such ions in each atom of it.

Thus '99 ions in an atom constitutes hydrogen, 11,269 ions to an atom constitutes oxygen and 137,290 of the same lone in each atom constitutes gold. The new theory is that these loops articlectrical and that matter and disparent that atoms themselves are disparent that atoms themselves are constituted for the same constitutes of the same constitutes and that matter and disparent that atoms themselves are constituted for constant disintegration. Chemistry has thus become the astronomy of the infinitesi-

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FAT BABIES NOT BEST.

The London Lancet draws attention to a danger threatening the perpetuation of the British race by protesting against baby shows, the object of which is to encourage the production of "fat babies." The Lancet regards a fat baby as a "carbohydrate or sugar-fed infant with a translucent, opalescent appearance of the itssue." It further calls them square headed hypertrophic infants, to the touch cold, gelatinous and flabby and with none of the elasticity and tone of a vigorous, healthy breast-fed baby. It says prizes should go to the medically perfect baby and not to the fattest as at present. Prominent New York doctors and hospital superintendents approved the Lancet's attitude and condenned the patent boby foods so highly advertised as being starchy, with ceans suger but no real fat. One doctor said: "You can always tell a patent-fed prize winner by its greasy overfed pallor."

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COTYON STAYED UP.

The prevailing high prices of raw cotton, were well maintained through the serily part of the week. July went to lice at New Orteans and to 18c. at New York.

W. P. Brown continued to control the market.

MARCONI SYSTEM DROPPED.

The Australian telegraph authorities have decided against adopting the Marconi wireless system on account of interception of messages.

TO TRAIN FOR PUBLIC SERVICE.

Andrew D. White, the distinguished edu-cator and retired diplomat, in his address at the semi-centennial reunion of the class of '53 at Yale, Monday made a striking investment. negle, or any combination of wealthy

Executive.

lowships in comparative legislation in the leading appropriates of the country, with the object of teaching, not what law is, but what law ought to be, with the result of greater homogenity of the law.

2. To establish professorships of com-

parative administration of public institu-tions in the hope of improving such ad-ministration.

3. To established courses in interna-tional law for entrance into the consular

FAMILIES SWAP CHILDREN.

threefold:

1. A number of courses of special value
to settlement workers, dealing with social leaders, current problems, practical
methods, etc., will be provided.

2. The University will be a channel of
communication between the settlements
and the students, and recommend new
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3. The committee will also keep the students advised of the work of other charitable organizations.

COLLEGE NOTES OF INTEREST.

High honors were accorded to a negro student at Harvard's commencement last week-Leslie P. Hill, of Orange, N. J., who had one of the English parts.

Columbia has secured at a London auction the most complete collection of anarchistic literature in existence, including many sets of newspapers and hun-

tion the most complete collection of anarchistic literature in existence, including many sets of newspapers and hundreds of pamphiets and posters,
Graduation statistics at Yalo indicate
that students there now pay on the average of \$4,313 for the four years' course,
A large majority of the students voted for
required chapel exercises.

Brown University Corporation has decided to establish a woman's college on an
independent basis, with separate faculty, in place of the limited co-educational
plan now in use.

At Harvard's 20th commencement Wednesday 1,246 degrees weer given.

At Yale's commencement Wednesday
Judge George Gray, of the Anthracte
Commission, received an Lil. D. He spoke
of the strike's lesson, and said public
opinion was extending its jurisdiction toward universal arbitration.

The new Chinese ambassador received
from Amherst Wednesday the honorary
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from Amherst Wednesday the honorary A. B. Trihity alumni decided to make an ef-fort to raise \$100,000 toward the \$5,000,000 fund needed by the college.

Miscellaneous.

NEW WINNER OF DERBY. Close on the heels of the big Eastern racing event, the Suburban won by Afri-kander, a professional outsider, came the American Derby at Chicago on Satur-

kander, a professional outsider, came the American Derby at Chicago on Saturday of last week. This event was won by the "Picket" in the presence of 70,000 people in the record-breaking time of 2.33 for the 11-2 mile at odds of 10 to 1. ENGLISH CENSUS TOTAL.

The final summary of the census of Fingland and Wales, taken in 1901, according to Public Opinion, shows that the total nobulation in that year was 32,527,833. While women outnumber men by over a million, it is found that men comprise the large majority in prisons and asylums. The caravan population was 12,74. Allens are in 100 of population was 12,74. Allens are in 100 of population was 12,74. Allens are in 100 of population was women stry. McClUREFS COMING "ISM."

The editor of McClure's Magazine comments in the July number on the series of corruption exposing articles by Mr. Steffens and Miss Tarbell's "History of the Standard Oli" with a suggestion as to an ultimate remedy for the conditions thus shown up. He says the coming "ism" is not socialism, but patriotism of principle in times of peace, It is to be based on the power of individuals to accept business failure if necessary rather than succeed by the use of bribery to secure legislation. He calls a briber a trailor, whether he be a contain of industry, a Benator or a philantiropist.

GENERAL ROLANDO'S LAST STAND.

During the week the Venezucian government was concentrating a large army for a final decisive attack on the last rebel stronghold og General Rolando at the city of Cludad, Bolivar. The attack was expected yesterday.

SOCIALISTS 800,000 STRONGER.

Official returns of last week's general elections in Germany, indicates that the total vote of the Social Democrats was 2,011,317, an increase of \$00,000 over 1899.

TO DISARM FINNS.

Tuesday's cable from St. Petersbrug told of a new edict signed by the Czar, which prohibits in Finnland all sales of guns, ammunition or explosives of any sort.

TO DRIVE OUT ALL JEWS.

A Berlin newspaper reported Wednes-

A Berlin newspaper reported Wednesday, that the Russian Minister of the Interior. De Plehve had avowed his intention of compelling all Jews to immigrate unless they ceased to aid the revolutionary movement.

THE CONSTITUTION UPHELD

Full Text of Recent Decision of the

the case of Taylor vs. Commonwealth, delivered at Wythoville. on June 18, 1903:
Taylor vs. Commonwealth; opinion delivered by Judge George M. Harrison, at Wytheville, Va. June 18, 1903:
COUNTY. COUNTY.
An indictment was found against the plaintiff in error charging him with housebreaking with intent to commit larceny. Upon his arraignment he tendered a plea of guilty to the charge, and thereupon with the consent of the attorney. Upon his arraignment he tendered a plea of guilty to the charge, and thereupon with the consent of the plaintiff in error, proceeded to hear and determine the case, without the intervention of a jury, and upon such bearing adjudged the prisoner guilty of a felony as charged in the indictment, and sentenced him to confinement in the State reformatory, further providing that should the prisoner be refused admission to the reformatory he should in that event be committed to the State penientiary to be confined therein and treated in the manner prescribed by law for the period of one year. From this judgment application was made to the iudge of the Circuit Court of Augusta county for a writ of error, which was refused, and thereupon, a writ of error was awarded to, this court.

The contention is that the court had no authority, and, therefore, no power to adjudge the plaintiff in error guilty of a felony, and to sentence him without the intervention of a jury. It is conceded that the proceeding complained of was it strict conformity to the provisions of section 8 article I. of the new Constitution of the State of Virginia, ordaned and promulgated by a Constitutional Convention assembled in Richmond during the years 1907-02; but it is insisted that this Constitution adopted in the year 1909, which provides in section 10, article I, that in all criminal prosecutions a man hath a right to a speedy trial by an impartial jury of his vicinage without be State of Virginia; that the provisions be found guilty, is the only legal and valld Constitution testing throughout the State of Virginia; that t

prescribed thereby, to support it, and by enforcing its provisions; and by the people, in their primary capacity, by peacefully accepting it an acquiresting in it; by registering as a considering it to the extent of nousands and throughout the State; and by voting under its provisions, at a general election for their representatives in the Congress of the United States and being as a mitter of fact, in force throughout the State, and being, as a mitter of fact, in force throughout the State, and being, as a mitter of fact, in force throughout the State, and being as a mitter of fact, in force throughout the State, and there being no government of the State, and there being no government of the State, and there of constitution, in question, which went into affect at noon on the 10th day of July, 1902, is the only rightful, valid and existing Constitution of this State, and that it all the citizens of Virginia owe their obdience and loyal allegiance.

We do not wish to be understood as acquiescing in the contention of the prisoner that the convention of 1901-02 was without power to promulgate the Constitution to ordained. We have expressed not online upon that subject for two not into tordained. We have expressed that the convention was without power to promulgate the Constitution it would not alter the result in this case, inasmuch as the Constitution of 1902 has become the fundamental law of the State, and already shown, by being acknowledged and accepted by the government and neonlar of and it is affirmed.

POLICEMAN KILLS

(By Associated Press.)
GADSDEN, ALA., June 27.—Gus Steadman was shot and killed in Alabama City

Foreign Politics.

The American Monetary Commission has gone to Paris from London after getting from the British committee a promise to recommend that the government join in the movement to have the silver using countries make gold the basis of their silver coin or unlimited legal tender. GENERAL ROLANDO'S LAST STAND.

Supreme Court of Appeals.

The following is the opinion of Judge

POLICEMAN KILLS CHILD'S KIDNAPPER

late yesterday by Policeman N. P. Garrard and A. N. Barnes while attempting rard and A. N. Barnes while attempting to make his escape. It is alleged that John Steadman had kidnapped Mattie McKnight, the thirteen-year-old daughter of R. R. McKnight, stole 37 from her and, it is said, forced her to go with him to the woods, where it is reported Gus Steadman and Sue Harvey, a woman of Chattanooga, were in hiding from the officers. Steadman claims, it is understood, that he intended marrying the girl. John Steadman and Sue Harvey have been jailed, and the McKnight girl has been taken home by her father. There is great indignation at Alabama City.

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Ladies' Straight-Front Corsets, made of batiste, some with medium-length hips, others with dip 48c Regular 50c. Girdles and 39c

Ladles' Gauze Vests, fine rib, with mercerized tape in neck and 25c sleeves; special, 3 for.....

Ladies' Percale Shirt-Waists, white, with dainty figures 48c

Ladies' Waists, made of fine lawn, stripped with lace inserting, Swiss inserting, others with hemstitched tucks, for 98c Ladies' Wash Skirts, of mixed blue and white, trimmed with cotton braid and solid blue bands, 48c

Ladies' seven-gored Skirts, of fine quality P. K., \$1.25

Ladies' Percale Wrappers, in red. blue, gray and black, with large collars, trimmed in finish- 98c

Monday's Specials. Fine Madras, 8 to 6-yard 534c pieces, was 15c., now...... Fine Lawns, light grounds, 378c 121/c. Bates' Ginghams 81/2c 25c. Mercerized White 121/2c 17c. Linen Lawn, half linen, 17c 39c. Irish Linen, all linen, 25c 50c. Soft-Finish Linen, 86- 39c inch, for 121/c. Organdles, sheer and 8c 1214c. Cheviot, white, pink and 9c 17c. White Madras, 82-Inch. 10c 17c. White Pique, nar- 121/2c 15c. Embroideries, fine 10c 25c. Imitation Cluny Lace 16c

Monday's Bargains. Men's 39c. Negligee Shirts 25c Men's 17c. Lace Striped 121/2c

Men's 10c. Black Socks 81/3c

Ladles' 10c. Lace Stripe Hose 5c Children's 121/20. Ribbed 10c Jap. Fans, large and small, 5c Pearl Buttons, 10c. quality, 5C Fine Beading, 8c. quality, 5C white Belts, black and 10c

the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Spen **PROFESSOR** Miss Martha Clopton, of Richmond, is

Rev. H. T. Louthan Will Teach Greek and Latin.

ROAD OVERSEERS CHOSEN

Judge Sidney Smith Withdraws from the Race for Commonwealth's Attorney in York County. Society Mention.

Board of Visitors of William and Mary pastor of the Baptist Church here, an instructor in the departments of Greek and Latin in William and Mary College. Mr. Louthan will, however, continue his

Mr. O. L. Shewmake was elected as-sistant principal of the Model School. Mrs. John Christian Binns, of Rich mond, has issued invitations to the mar riage of her daughter, Miss Lula Binns, to Mr. J. Curtis Darlington, of this city. The ceremony is to take place at Union Station Methodist Church, Richmond, on

Wdenesday, July 1st, at 3:20 P. M.
ROAD OVERSEERS.
At its last meeting the Board of Supervisors for James City county relected all the present road overseers, as follows: Powhatan District, Carter Cowles; Jamestown, George E. Waltrip; Stonehouse, Dr. Hankins.
Judge Sydney Smith, of Yorktown, has formally announced his withdrawal from the race for nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney of York county. He has not lived in York long enough to gain a residence, as required by law. It is said Judge Smith's friends will support Mr. B. H. Ewan, who is a candidate against Mr. Conway Shelld,
PERSONAL.
Miss Mackey Young, of Hampton, is the guest of the Misses Morecock.
Rev. C. B. Wilmer, of Atlanta, Ga., who was the guest of Mr. H. D. Cole during commencement, left yesterday for the mountains.

who was the guest of all yesterday for the mountains.

Miss Nannie Wright, of Toano, has been

One Day's Sales Given Away Each Month. THE DAY TO BE NAMED AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.

Save Your Register Tickets. On and after JULY 1st

we will give to each cash purchaser a ticket with date and amount of purchase printed thereon. At the end of the month a salesday in the month will be selected and published in the

daily press about the 5th of the following month. Purchasers holding tickets for purchases on the salesday selected will have the amount of his purchases on that day refunded on presen-tation of his ticket within ten days after the selected day, at the MAIN OFFICE, 519 EAST BROAD STREET.

IT PAYS TO BUY FOR CASH FROM US.

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the guest of Mrs. T. H. Geddy.
Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Hardy, of West
Virginia, and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Holt,
and children, of Hampton, were the
guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Areastead
this week.
Miss McCandlish, of Middlesex, is the

25c. Wash Silk, all stripes, 19c

50c. Wash Silk, good styles, 25c

25c. Striped Challes 19c

Miss McCandilsh, of Middlesex, is the guest of Miss Bessle Lamb Children's day exercises will be celebrated in the Baptist Church the first Sunday night in July.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Moss and little son, of Smithfield, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Person this week.

BODY FOUND THAT OF JAMES M'CANN

Lord Barrington Arrested on Suspicion of Having Been His Slayer.

ST. LOUIS, June 27.—The body of a man was discovered floating in the water of a deserted stone quarry near Bonfils Station, St. Louis county, this afternoon Decomposition had set in and the remains were hardly recognizable.

An empty pocketbook, several revolver An empty pocketions, several resorter cartridges and a pair of low cut shoes were found not far distant. These articles were identified as belonging to her husband by Mrs. James P. McCann, wife of a formerly well known horseman, who has been missing since June 18th. When Mrs. McCann saw the articles she exclaimed. "Oh, my God, he has been murdered?"

claimed, "Oh, my God, he has been mindered?"
The police have arrested "Lord Barrington," with whom McCann was last seen alive. He is held awaiting the result of the investigation by the police. After the disappearance of Mr. McCann Barrington was arrested by the St. Louis police, but despite the fact that he told conflicting stories, he was released, the authorities finding no positive proof of guilt against him.

SHOOTING AFFRAY

Innocent Bystander Receives an Ugly Wound.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GOLDSBORO, N. C., June 27.—Mr. C. A.
Sprulli, the agent of the Atlantic Coast
Line Raliroad at Dudley, a quiet and
peaceful little village, just a few miles
south of here, was shot yesterday and
seriously wounded by Mr. J. M. B. Fields,
a son of Mr. W. B. Fields, of that town.
Mr. J. Kornegay, an innecest agency.

seriously wounded by Mr. J. M. B. Fleids, a son of Mr. W. B. Fleids, a son of Mr. Mr. Fleids and the fracas, wound in his right arm.

Local physicians attended to his case but Mr. Spruill was sent to the railroad hospital at Rocky Mount for treatment. As the train on which Mr. Spruill was going to the hospital, was waiting here, some interviewed him, though looking very pale and talking quite feeble, which was the result from the loss of blood, which was slowly oozing from his wounded side. When asked what caused the difficulty, he replied; About a week ago Mr. Fleids told a falsehood on me. This morning he came in my office, I approached him, intending to thrash him or make him retract his statements. He did not give me time or opportunity to str ked him, but immediately pulled his pistel and began firing. The first shot struck me in the side, I grabbed hold of his arm and he fired again, the second shot striking Mr. J. Kornegay on the arm, he fired the third time at me, but Captain Jones, of the freight trains, rushed in and knocked his arm up and the ball went through the top of the warehouse. I then telegraphed the company to send a man in my place. While I was being helped on the train, I-learned that Policeman Hatch had arrested Fleids.

ATTEMPTED TO WRECK TRAIN

Steel Rails Placed on the Southern Track Near Raleigh.

Track Near Raleigh.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., June 27.—An effort to wreck Southern train No. 127, from Goldsboro to Greensboro, was discovered this morning just in the nick of time by Sectionmaster Neal. He found three pieces of steel rail placed on the track so as to derail the engine and cars.

The scene was just three miles east of Raleigh, and the westbound passenger train passed about ten minutes after the obstruction was found and removed by the sectionmaster, who at the same time saw a suspicious looking strange negro skulking about the woods near by. He was gone, however, by the time Mr. Neal could clear the obstruction away, a necessary precaution on account of the near approach of train time.

Later bloodhounds were carried out to the scene from the penitentiary, but could not strike a trail.

Two Negroes Hurt. Two negroes Ben Terry and Mollie Wash-ington, were hit in the head by rocks yesterday at different places in the city, Dr. Crump, of the Ambulance corps, look-ed after them.

DISCUSSING THE CANAL

Patent-Leather Belts, large 10c

The Colombian Congress Has Begun Consideration.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE He Favors Building Canal Even if it Be

at a Sacrifice, Because it Will Be of Such a Benefit to

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27 .- The Minister Beaupre, at Bogota, a cable extra session of Congress convened for June 20th. The following appears in the canal convention:

ed this dilemma: Either it lets our nounces certain pecuniary advantages, many, we have a right. In the first many, we have a right. In the first case, to consent to the sacrifice of our sovereignty, and not aspiring to a great indemnification, the just wishes of the inhabitants of Panama—a large part of Colombia—would be satisfied if the canal were opened, but the government would be exposed to the charge, afterwards, that it did not defend our sovereignty and that it did not defend the interests of the nation.

"In the second case, if the canal is not opened by Panama, the government

"In the second case, if the canal is not opened by Panama, the government will be accused of not having allowed Colombia that benefit, which is regarded as commencement of our aggrandizement. I have already allowed my wish to be understood that the canal should be opened through our territory. I believe that even at such cost of sacrifices we ought not to put obstacles to such a grand undertaking, because it is an immensely beneficial enterprise for the country, and also because, once the canal is opened by the United States, our relations will become more intimate and extensive, while our industry, commerce, and our wealth will gain incalculably. I leave the full responsibility for the decision of this matter—at first—for Congress."

Ambulance Busy.

The ambulance, Dr. Crump in charge, had a busy day yesterday. There were fourteen calls, but most of them trifling. TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

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DEATHS.

HOLLADAY.—Died, Friday, June 26, 1908, at 3 P. M., at Annapolis, Md., Mrs. MARY LAWRENCE HOLLADAY, widow of William Holladay, of Spotsyl-vania county, Va.

SPECIAL 4TH OF JULY EXCUR SION.

Old Dominion Line steamer Perkeley, for Norfolk Friday evening, July 8d, at 7. P. M., good returning, leaves Norfolk Sunday evening, July 6th, at 7. P. M. Round trip fare, \$3, including state-room berth.

SPECIAL 4TH OF JULY EXCUR-

SION.

Old Dominion Line steamer Berkeley, for Norfolk Friday evening, July 3d, at 7 P. M., good returning, leaves Norfolk Sunday evening, July 5th, at 7 P. M. Round trip fare, \$3, including state-room berth.

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with the big shipping trust. Curard of-ficials intimate that they are backed by the British government in opposition to the trust.

JERSEY'S CORPORATION TAX.

From a preliminary schedule it is es-timated that at least 1,000 new corpora-tions have been formed in New Jersey since a year ago and that the total as-sessment will be nearly \$3,000,000. ENORMOUS RAILROAD DEVELOP-MENT.

The Interstate Commerce Commission